GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – PR&RD Department - Allegations of irregularities in award of price adjustment on material / pipes procured etc. in the works taken up by RWS&S Department in Ananthapur district in the two projects viz., Neelakanthapuram Srirami Reddy Drinking Water supply scheme and JC Nagi Reddy Drinking Water supply Scheme – Disciplinary proceedings against Sri B. Rajeswara Rao, Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S (Retd.) and Sri J. Viswanath, the then Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Ananthapur and now Chief Engineer, RWS&S (Retd.) – Common Proceedings under Rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 150 Dated: 17-02-2016

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ORDER:

Whereas, the Government Servants specified below are jointly concerned in a disciplinary case regarding allegations irregularities in award of price adjustment on material / pipes procured etc. in the works taken up by Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department in Ananthapur District in the two projects viz., Neelakanthapuram Srirami Reddy Drinking Water supply scheme and JC Nagi Reddy Drinking Water supply Scheme:-

1) Sri B. Rajeswara Rao, the then Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation and now retired.
2) Sri J. Viswanath, the then Superintending Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Ananthapur and now Chief Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation (Retd.).

2. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rules (1) and (2) of Rule - 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, the disciplinary authority i.e., Government hereby direct:-

(i) that disciplinary action against all the said Government Servants shall be taken in the common proceedings;

(ii) that Government shall function as the disciplinary authority for the purpose of the common proceedings and shall be competent to impose any penalty; and

(iii) that the procedure prescribed in Rules 20 & 21 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 shall be followed in the said Proceedings.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S. JAWAHAR REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The individuals concerned through the Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

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The General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department, Andhra Pradesh, BRKR Buildings, Hyderabad. (W.r.t. Vigilance Report No. 74, dated:28.4.2014).

The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER